

EDWARDS TO MEET N. J. SUFFRAGISTS

Demonstration in Favor of Ratification of Amendment Fixed for This Afternoon

LEGISLATURE RECONVENES

Trenton, Jan. 26.—Suffragists from every section of the state will meet here this afternoon for the demonstration in favor of ratification of the suffrage amendment.

The features of the program will be the presentation of suffrage petitions to the governor, to Clarence E. Case, president of the Senate, and to W. Irving Glover, speaker of the House of Assembly.

With the reconvening of the Legislature this week, Governor Edwards anticipates the introduction of a bill carrying out his recommendations for the immediate removal of the present public utility commission.

The Edwards idea of solving the public-utilities problem will meet with competition in the form of bills prepared by Assemblyman Rowland, of Camden.

Rumors that Governor Edwards had definitely decided to resign as secretary of state have been brought from Governor Edwards a declaration that no such decision has been reached.

It is not the present intention of Governor Edwards to name a successor to the late George E. Blakelock on the State Highway Commission.

FLONZALEY QUARTET GIVES GOOD CONCERT

Plays Quartets of Beethoven and Mozart, With a New Work by Daniel Gregory Mason

The Flonzaley Quartet performed at yesterday's meeting of the Chamber Music Association at the Bellevue-Stratford before the usual large audience that these meetings have attracted all season.

The Mozart quartet was played in about the same style as the Beethoven. The Flonzaleys are at their best in compositions where beauty of tone and an exotic, almost sensuous, manner of playing and interpretation are in keeping with the style of the composition.

The third number on the program was Mr. Mason's quartet, this being the second time in two days that his name has appeared on an important program in this city.

READY TO TRY I. W. W.

Defense in Armistice Day Murder Wants Change of Venue

Montesano, Wash., Jan. 26.—(By A. P.)—A regular venire of eighty men and a special venire of 300 today had been summoned for the opening of the trial of eleven Industrial Workers of the World charged with murder in connection with the shooting to death of four former soldiers at Centralia, Wash., on Armistice Day.

8 DEAD, 21 HURT IN WRECK

Canadian Express Trains Collide; Temperature 30 Below Zero

North Bay, Ont., Jan. 26.—Several persons are dead and a number injured as the result of a collision between the two sections of the Canadian Pacific Express for Vancouver, which occurred about eleven miles east of here.

The rear sleeper of the first section, which was stalled, was telescoped by the locomotive of the second section.

Montreal, Jan. 26.—According to a statement issued by Vice President A. D. MacIver, of the Canadian Pacific Railway, the number of dead in the North Bay wreck is now greater than eight, and the number of injured twenty-one.

PAYROLL EVIDENCE IN COAL HEARINGS

Operators to Open Wage Books to Combat Claims of Miners

ASSERT MEN WON'T WORK

Washington, Jan. 26.—Direct evidence to combat the claim of the union miners that they should be granted a 60 per cent increase in wages will be presented this week by the operators to the coal commission appointed by the President to investigate an adjustment of the existing difficulties between the miners and the operators.

This will be the first time the mine records of the operators will have been placed before the public.

In the array of data to be presented to the commission, says a statement issued by the operators, "payroll evidence will be offered by the central competitive operators to show that the miners, in most fields, can make from \$10 to \$12 a day, and that \$15 a day can be earned readily in the richer mining districts, which operate from 250 to 275 days a year.

From their payroll sheets the operators will show that miners in every field have arbitrarily refused work when it was obtainable, the percentage of idle miners varying from 12 to 16 per cent, or more, in different fields.

JOHNSON WILL CAMPAIGN

To Make First Speech Against League in Missouri Tomorrow

Cameron, Mo., Jan. 26.—(By A. P.)—Senator Hiram Johnson, of California, tomorrow at Excelsior Springs will deliver the first of a series of five addresses against the League of Nations that will mark the campaign of John E. Frost, of Pittsburg, Republican nominee, to succeed Joshua Alexander, now secretary of commerce, as representative in Congress from the Third Missouri district.

Prior to the special election February 14 nationally known Democrats will campaign for Captain J. L. Milligan, speaking in favor of the league, which has been made one of the chief issues.

14 per cent wage advance recently granted, which was absorbed by the operators without any increase in the price of coal to the consumer, was more than enough to cover any increase in the cost of living.

GARFIELD OPPOSES HIGHER MINE WAGES

Chicago, Jan. 26.—Dr. H. A. Garfield, formerly fuel administrator, in an article written for Farm and Home declares the compromise that ended the coal strike is "unsound in principle and a menace to our institutions."

The wages now paid to mine workers are sufficient, he says. "The opportunity that should be given the mine workers cannot be secured merely by an increase in wages."

In proof Doctor Garfield cites the average of \$850 a year earned by the lowest paid miners, working 180 days in the year, while for 200 days' work the average miner in the bituminous field of Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois earned \$1600 in 1918 and \$1300 last year.

STRUCK MATCH IN GARAGE

Building and Two Motorcars Destroyed and Chauffeur Is Dying

Mahany City, Pa., Jan. 26.—Going into the garage of Thomas Frost at Ellangowan to get a supply of gasoline for a motorcycle which was stranded near the garage because of its supply of gasoline running out, Joseph Charwick, twenty-four years old, chauffeur for Mr. Frost, struck a match while he proceeded to take the gasoline from the tank of a motorcar.

The garage, together with two motorcars, was destroyed, together with two motorcars. Charwick was overcome by gas fumes and was taken unconscious from the burning building just as the structure collapsed.

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CRAWLS IN FIREBOX TO KILL HERSELF

Bradford Woman Attempts Suicide by Roasting Under Refinery Boiler

LIFE SAVED BY FIREMAN

Bradford, Pa., Jan. 26.—Seeking to commit suicide by roasting herself to death, Mrs. Jessie Hunt crawled into a boiler firebox at the Kendall refinery.

The presence of mind and prompt action of Charles A. Barr, fireman at the plant, thwarted her plan. The woman is in the Bradford Hospital in a serious condition.

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The stillman if there was a man named Jackson in the plant. The stillman replied that the only Jackson on the payroll worked in the daytime.

Dublin Church Burned Dublin, Jan. 26.—The Catholic church at Rathmines, a suburb of Dublin, was destroyed by fire during the night. The cause of the fire is unknown.

"Fiu" Wipes Out Family New Haven, Conn., Jan. 26.—(By A. P.)—Mrs. George H. Bosworth died late yesterday of influenza and pneumonia, twenty-four hours after the death of her husband from the same cause, and thirty hours after the death of the infant child, born Saturday morning. Bosworth's mother, Mrs. Peter Siren, of Waterbury, is critically ill here with double pneumonia.

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WORLD LABOR CONFERENCE

Americans Absent Because Treaty Isn't Ratified—Germans Attend

Paris, Jan. 26.—(By A. P.)—The governing body of the international labor organization held its first meeting today in conformity with the decision of the labor conference in Washington in November.

TO WAR ON FREE PHONES

Mayor to Aid Move Against Abuse of City Service

Mayor Moore is taking an interest in Director of Public Safety Corry's move to cut off free city telephone from persons who have no right to them.

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